

PATENT

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT : Batschied et al.
SERIAL NO. : not yet assigned
FILED : simultaneously herewith
TITLE : FOAM THROTTLE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to the initial Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows: